IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

MAHESH KUMAR PATHAK, A78-659-983, Petitioner,

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MICHAEL CHERTOFF, Secretary Dept. of Homeland Security,

EDWARD C. FLORES, Chief of Correction, Santa Clara County, Department of Correction;

NANCY ALCANTAR, Field Office Director, Office of Detention and Removal, Immigration and Customs Enforcement;

ALBERTO R. GONZALES, U.S. Attorney General;

Respondents

Civ. No. C 07 4691

PETITIONER'S MOTION TO STRIKE

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Petitioner, Mahesh Kumar Pathak, by and through undersigned counsel, respectfully moves to strike the following paragraphs in his Petition For Writ of Habeas Corpus filed on September 12, 2007.

The Petitioner moves to strike paragraphs 38 and 39 in their entirety, as they do not relate to the Petitioner's circumstances. The Petitioner no longer has a case pending before the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals.

The Petitioner also respectfully moves to strike the second (of two) sentences in paragraph 36. The paragraph should read: "The Petitioner has exhausted his administrative remedies to the extent required by law, and his only remedy is by way of this judicial action."

The Petitioner regrets that these sections were not omitted prior to yesterday's filing.

In view of the above, the Petitioner respectfully moves to strike the above portions of the Petition For Writ of Habeas Corpus filed on September 12, 20070.

Respectfully submitted this 14th day of September 2007.

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